California Secretary of State 1500 - 11th Street Sacramento, CA 95814

October 28, 2017

Attn.: Katherine Montgomery, Initiative Program Manager

Re: Water Supply and Water Quality Act of 2018 (17-0010, Amdt. # 1)

Dear Secretary Padilla:

In accordance with California Elections Code section 9034, I, Gerald H. Meral, the proponent of the "Water Supply and Water Quality Act of 2018" (17-0010, Amdt. # 1), hereby certify that at least 25 percent of the required number of signatures to qualify the initiative measure for the ballot (365,880) has been obtained.

I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing paragraph is true and correct. Executed on this 28th day of October, 2017, at Inverness, California.

Gerald H. Meral

Cc: Senate Natural Resources and Water Committee Assembly Water, Parks and Wildlife Committee

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